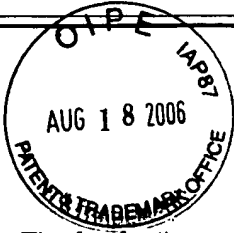


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<b>COMBINED AMENDMENT &amp; PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity)</b>					Docket No. <b>P-6007/1 (102-585)</b>	
In Re Application Of: <b>WILLIAM GALBRAITH</b>						
Application No. <b>10/804,592</b>	Filing Date <b>March 19, 2004</b>	Examiner <b>Yu, Melanie J.</b>	Customer No. <b>26253</b>	Group Art Unit <b>1641</b>	Confirmation No. <b>9558</b>	
Invention: <p style="text-align: center;"><b>APPARATUSES AND METHOD FOR REDUCING ALBUMIN IN SAMPLES</b></p>						
<u>COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</u>  This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of <u>April 25, 2006</u> in the above-identified application. <div style="text-align: center; font-size: small;">Date</div> <p>The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One month     <input type="checkbox"/> Two months     <input type="checkbox"/> Three months     <input type="checkbox"/> Four months     <input type="checkbox"/> Five months </div> </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 10px;"> <div> from: <u>July 25, 2006</u>  <div style="text-align: center; font-size: x-small;">Date</div> </div> <div> until: <u>August 25, 2006</u>  <div style="text-align: center; font-size: x-small;">Date</div> </div> </div> <p style="margin-top: 20px;">The fee for the amendment and extension of time has been calculated as shown below:</p>						
<b>CLAIMS AS AMENDED</b>						
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TOTAL CLAIMS	16    -	49    =	0	x    \$50.00	\$0.00	
INDEP. CLAIMS	2    -	12    =	0	x    \$200.00	\$0.00	
FEE FOR AMENDMENT					\$0.00	
FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME					\$120.00	
<b>TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME</b>					<b>\$120.00</b>	
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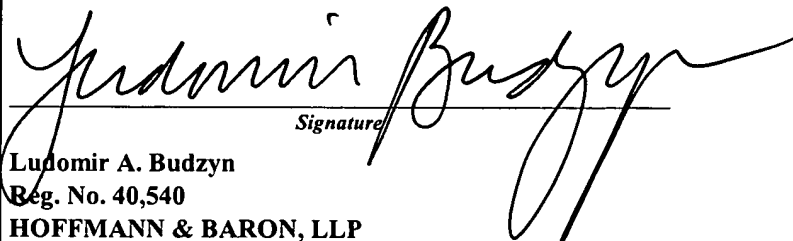
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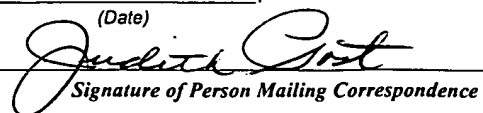
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